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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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Secretary of the Senate
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

This letter and the attached amended report are in response to the Federal Election Commission's preliminary review of the Year End Report (10/1/03- 12/31/03) of the Evan Bayh Committee. The letter (copy enclosed) indicated several questions that the Commission wanted the committee to address.

1.) Schedule A of our report disclosed one or more contributions that appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act.

We examined all of our contributions to check for additional excessive contributions and determined that there were none. We also reviewed our procedures for processing contributions, and reinforced to staff the necessity of following the procedures at all times.

2.) To date, one or more of the apparent excessive contributions have not been refunded, re-designated, or reattributed within the sixty day time frame.

The contributions in question and the committees response is as follows:

Andy Davis - According to the Schedule A report Mr. Davis has made an excessive contribution of \$1,000 to the primary election. However his \$2,000 contribution deposited on 02/26/03 was actually for the Chicago Stock Exchange. Mr. Davis is the contact person for the exchange and there contribution was mistakenly credited to him instead of the exchange. Our records have been corrected.

Christopher Gibson- The commission's records show that Mr. Gibson has contributed \$3,000 to the general election and \$1,000 to the primary election. We disagree with the commission and believe that the \$1,000 Mr. Gibson contributed on April 8, 2002 was properly reported by us as a contribution for the primary, the commission has it recorded as a contribution to the general election.

Richard Inskip- The commission's records indicate the Mr. Inskip has contributed \$3,500 to our general campaign or \$1,500 in excess of the limit. In a prior report we re-